

Peninsula Enterprise.

ACCOMAC COURT-HOUSE, VA.

SATURDAY, MAY 17, 1890.

John W. Edmonds, Editor and Owner.

LOCAL NEWS.

Geo. W. Wharton, colored, was taken from our jail on yesterday to the asylum at Petersburg, Va., by messenger sent for him from that institution.

The storehouse owned by D. J. Titlow & Co., Main street, Onancock, will be sold at public auction, on Saturday, May 18th, 3 p. m., on the premises.

Call on W. K. Dickinson & Son, Pocomoke, Md., if you wish to purchase something new in summer dress goods. India pongees, Egyptian batiste, &c.

McMath Bros. & Co., Onley, Va., have just received two car loads of choice shingles and cypress fencing. Be sure to call and see how cheap you can buy if you are needing anything in that line.

A large hotel is to be erected during this summer on Tangier Island by Messrs. Crockett & Thomas. The contract for building same has been awarded to Mr. A. C. H. Bloom.

A strawberry and ice cream festival will be given under the auspices of the Ladies of I. O. G. T., at Drummondtown, next Tuesday afternoon and night. If weather is inclement, the next day.

A Strawberry festival will be held in the grove adjoining Hunting Creek Mr. P. Church, on Tuesday, May 20th, at 2 p. m. If the weather be inclement, the next fair afternoon. Proceeds to be applied to the church debt.

The ladies of Jeumont M. P. Church will hold a strawberry festival, at the residence of Mr. J. H. Taylor, on Tuesday, May 20th, at 5 p. m. If the weather is unfavorable it will be postponed to Saturday afternoon. Proceeds to be applied to parsonage debt.

Dr. Geo. B. Zell, dentist, Pocomoke City, will be at Parkley, Monday, May 19th, and at Mappsville, Tuesday, May 20th, to offer his professional services to the public. He will remain at each place positively, for one day only.

Don't fail to read the life of "Jefferson Davis, ex-President of the Confederate States. A memoir by his wife." Two volumes. Sold only by subscription. W. J. Neville, Jr. & Co., Onancock, agents for Accomac and Northampton counties.

A fair and festival will be held at Flag Pond by the Episcopal Sunday school of Emmanuel Church, Jenkins' Bridge, on Tuesday during the holidays. Ice cream, cake, confectionery, dinner and supper will be served. Everyone is invited to attend.

We regret to learn that Mr. W. H. Jones, a thrifty merchant at Chesapeake, lost through the mail one day last week \$200. The money was sent by registered letter, and when the letter reached its destination, Show Hill bank, the money letter was missing—Headlight.

Special attention is invited to the new firm of Hawkins, Hopkins & Sutton, commission merchants, Baltimore. Mr. Spencer D. Hopkins of our county, as will be noted, is a member of the firm. It will deserve and doubtless will receive a large share of the patronage of our shippers.

Excursion tickets will be sold over N. Y. P. & N. R. R. from Eastern Shore to Norfolk on to-day, May 17th, good for two days, at 24 cents per mile, to reach the scenic route, the line to and back to the city, to be exhibited on to-day. A ticket to Norfolk and return from Tassley will be \$2.65.

On Wednesday, May 21st and Wednesday, May 22nd, at 2 p. m., there will be a sale of the stock of P. J. Titlow & Co. These sales will be of special interest to merchants and to ladies, as there will be a variety of goods sold in lots convenient to the trade, also fine glassware, vases, plush goods, &c. Sales as usual every Saturday at 5 p. m.

Silverthorn & Co., No. 308 South Front St., Philadelphia, can furnish farmers with all kinds of choice seed, such as choice Houlton and Vermont Early Rose, and Beauty of Hebron potatoes, extra early Cleveland, Onancock peas, white and red onion sets, and choice Jersey seed sweet potatoes. Orders must be accompanied with cash or good reference.

Messrs Geo. W. Winder & Co., 119 Hollis street, St. Baltimore, are paying special attention to the sale of berries and peas this season and offer returns as proof, that they are getting highest market prices for shipments. All consignments will meet with prompt attention and most care in handling. Stencils furnished on application.

Dr. Wilson B. Boyd, manager of the Peninsula Mutual Relief Association of Talbot county, Md., was in town this week. He was here from Pocomoke, where he had been to pay a claim of \$900 due by said association, the third assessment in seven deaths in the last three years. This association is well worth an investigation, and parties wanting reliable insurance should call upon Mr. R. P. Custis, agent, Onancock, Va.

Mr. Thos. W. Russell, special commissioner, will sell at public auction on the premises near Keller station, on Saturday, June 7th, 1890, the valuable real estate of which James R. Downing, died, seized and possessed. The tract contains about one hundred acres of excellent land, located in one of the thickest neighborhoods in the county, and is convenient to churches, schools and shipping points. For terms and other particulars, see posters.

The Onancock Cornet Band will give an entertainment on Thursday night, May 22nd, in Town Hall, for the benefit of the band, assisted by Prof. Stevenson and the ladies of the town. The programme is well arranged and will contain something to please every taste. You will be pleased and laugh until you are satisfied. Vocal music and music by the band will be some of the features of the entertainment. Supper served in lower room. Admission 25 cts., reserved seats 50 cts. Doors open 7.30.

M. Oldham, Jr., special commissioner, pursuant to a decree of the circuit court of Accomac county, will sell at Pungoteague, on Saturday, June 14th, 1890, at 2 p. m., the land of Thomas J. Chandler, containing seventy-five acres more or less, situated in Scarborough's Neck, being part of Geo. S. Powell farm and on same day at 4 p. m., said commissioner will sell at Onancock, three tracts or parcels of land of Thomas R. Chandler, situated in Shutehock Neck. For terms and particulars, see posters.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Parkley.

Mr. Everett's house is enclosed. Miss Chadbourne is building a house on Wilson avenue.

Geo. W. Warner's house is receiving the finishing touches.

Mess Lucille Martindale of Salisbury is visiting Miss Amy Jones.

The Parkley Brick & Tile Co., has a large kiln of bricks ready to burn.

Our people are using lime liberally, which is said to be good for health as well as for looks.

The Parkley brass band practices nightly and is making noise enough to be progressing admirably.

Our farmers are realizing good prices for their peas and strawberries, consequently long faces will soon be a thing of the past.

Vice-President Patton, Superintendent Dunne and other R. R. officials were here this week. The R. R. Co.'s grounds will be handsomely improved.

The committee has selected two lots corner of Wilson avenue and Catherine street, adjoining the park for the M. P. Church, and will begin work at an early date.

Mr. Mercer of North Carolina and dressed our people at Parkley Wednesday, and enrolled the names of a few. He proposes to be at Parkley, Tuesday after court Monday for the purpose of organizing an Alliance?

Onancock.

Mr. T. W. Parker is quite ill.

The final examinations are now being held at Onancock Academy.

Mr. Stuart Wise of Baltimore, is the guest of his relative, Mrs. Bettie Custis.

A game of base ball between the Academy and Kid Glove nines, Wednesday evening, resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 35 to 15.

Mr. Frank A. Slocumb is having the plans and specifications prepared for dwelling he proposes to have erected on his lot adjoining P. E. Church.

Richard Drummond died at his home in Shutehock Neck, on Wednesday, aged about 70 years. Mr. Drummond had been an acute sufferer for more than 15 years from rheumatism.

The Masons of Onancock Lodge will observe St. John's day June 26th, with appropriate ceremonies. They propose to have a parade and addresses in the afternoon, followed by a banquet at night.

Mr. Wm. T. Wise has sold his lot on Main st., adjoining Dr. E. B. Finney's property, to Mr. John S. Wayles. The Titlow lot recently purchased by him is being renovated and enlarged for his occupancy.

Elaborate preparations are being made for an entertainment to be given in the Town Hall, Monday night, May 26th, for the benefit of the Episcopal Church. The popular drama, "Out in the Streets," will be rendered, and supper and other refreshments will be served in the lower room of hall.

Mr. Wm. J. Mercer, deputy organizer of State Farmer's Alliance, delivered an address here on Thursday last week, and afterwards instituted a Sub-Farmers' Alliance with the following officers: Capt. Edward L. East, president; C. L. Harrison, secretary; Peter W. East, doorkeeper.

Vera Crockett, aged 4 years 2 months, daughter of Mr. John A. Crockett of this county, died of pneumonia, at Nutwell, Anne Arundel county, Md., on Thursday of last week. Her remains were brought home for interment in the family burying ground, near Pungoteague, by steamer, last Saturday.

Chincoteague.

Master Selby J. Burch died on the 6th inst., of pneumonia, aged 19 years. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Rev. S. U. Grimsley is only filling the pulpit of Union Baptist Church temporarily, and not as regular pastor as reported in last issue.

Extensive preparations are being made for Children's Day at our M. E. Church, on Sunday, June 8th. It will be a pleasant and attractive affair.

The annual sheep penning of Assaueg takes place this year on Wednesday, June 4th. Sheep and lambs will be sold on that day at public and private sale. The attendance this year will be very large.

The steam yacht of Hamilton Disston, touched at this point last Monday on her way to Wachapreague, where she will take on board her owner, Senator Quay and others for a gunning and fishing trip in the lower bays.

The schooner Hastings, Capt. Frank Taylor, loaded with oysters and bound from Rappahannock river to Stockton, went ashore on our bar on night of 6th inst. She was gotten off by our enterprising wreckers, C. E. Babbitt & Son, at a cost of \$500.

Rev. S. U. Grimsley and Mrs. Jas. E. Matthews of Atlantic Hotel endorse every word in notice of Rev. W. A. Street, which appeared in ENTERPRISE of last week, in reference to Housekeeper's Companion, cook book, compiled by Miss Bettie E. Gunter. No housekeeper in Accomac, they say, can afford to be without it.

Arrivals at Atlantic this week: Amos Cole, E. R. Sipple, A. L. Sapp, Henry Harrington, Harrington, Del.; W. E. Doughty, A. B. Fisher, Dr. S. Dryden, R. S. Stant, Baltimore; J. Wesley Field, Phila.; G. W. Truitt, Snow Hill; E. M. Carpenter, Frank Martin, Georgetown; John H. Melvin, Logan Henderson, C. W. Jarman, Thos. Davis, E. H. Mason, Accomac.

The funds have been raised necessary for the establishment of 'The Gentlemen's Driving Park' here, and the same has been located and will be opened to-day. The following officers have been elected: J. R. Tarr, president; E. P. Timmons, secretary; Dr. N. S. Smith, treasurer. An expert trainer, Thomas Campbell, of Baltimore, has been engaged and arrived here yesterday.

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS.

April Term, 1890.

Raymond R. Hutchinson, inspector of oysters, reported collections for quarter ending, February 28th, 1890, amounting to \$294 02—due State \$264 62.

The following fines were paid to court: L. F. J. Wilson, J. P., \$5 fine and \$1 clerk's costs received of H. B. Jarman, father of Chas. W. Jarman, convicted of assaulting and beating Wm. C. Truitt, and \$5 fine and \$1 clerk's costs, received of Jos. S. Pruitt, convicted of assaulting and beating Chas. W. Jarman—by Thos. W. Blackstone, J. P., \$2.40 fine and \$1 clerk's costs received of James W. Bell, convicted of assaulting and beating L. T. Stephens.

Wm. H. Boggs qualified as administrator of Thos. J. Davis, dec.

Stuart K. Powell obtained a certificate necessary to secure law license.

Accounts against Commonwealth in criminal cases were allowed as follows: S. R. Nelson, J. P., \$3; J. H. Ayres, M. D., \$2.60; Thos. W. Blackstone, J. P., \$9; John H. Wise, sheriff and jailer, 4 accounts, \$24.40, \$4.50, \$9.25, \$130 45, O. D. Doughty, constable, \$16.74.

Following fiduciary accounts were confirmed and ordered to be recorded: Henry L. Uphur & Co.'s trust account—adits of estates of Jas. P. Gorton, Geo. Bradford, Hann b'd Eltel & Ann Shreaves, J. W. Kellam, Wm. T. Mears and Job Cropper— orphan accounts of Blanche M. Stella V. Henry C. Beni, F. Bessie L. and Alice M. Ball.

L. J. Gunter was appointed captain and Thos. T. Lewis, assistant of claim-gaugers. They duly qualified by taking oaths required of special police.

T. A. Northam and Geo. W. McMath, qualified respectively as Notary Public of county of Accomac.

Authority to celebrate rites of matrimony was granted to Rev. R. S. Williamson of M. P. Church and Louis E. Toulson of M. E. Church.

Order entered substituting Nathaniel S. Smith, trustee, in place of John Nelly in deed from Edward Drinney for benefit of John W. Bunting.

Ex Parte: Geo. Duffy's admr. Report of administrator filed, order confirming same and removing cause from docket. Order removing from office, Cynthia A. Chandler, guardian of Jno. J. Vinnie and Cynthia T. Chandler, on motion of securities of her official bond.

Petition of Wm. T. Mason and others, to drain Hack's Neck road. John L. Harrison and others, viewers, made their report and same duly filed. Orders on county treasurer in road and bridge matters, &c., were entered as follows: John L. Harrison, Wm. T. Kilmon and John T. James, \$1 each; Francis T. Stockley, 2 accounts, \$265 and \$11.20; Finney Bros., \$20; W. P. Moore's heirs, \$5; L. J. Hyslop, \$8; William J. Johnson of S. 2 accounts, \$16.42 and \$22; Frank Makinson, \$6.40; O. H. Taylor, \$5; Wm. P. Lewis, \$11; Wm. H. Marshall, \$22; A. S. Taylor, \$9; Wm. C. Fox, \$7.50; Wm. Martin, \$8; Iva Payne, \$37.68; Henry R. Bull, \$1; John W. Edmonds, \$4; A. J. Lilliston, \$22; K. C. Horsey, \$21; C. S. Witham & Bro., \$10.24.

Nathaniel B. Conquest was appointed surveyor of roads, in place of A. S. Taylor, resigned.

Order entered releasing Jas. H. Bennett from jail because of inability to pay two fines and costs of prosecution for which he was detained.

Geo. J. Dix's admr. vs. J. Morgan Dix and others (on petition). Report of petitioners filed and order confirming. Order entered exempting Isaiah T. Johnson from road duty.

Commonwealth vs. Puss Cropper and Sadie Walker (on indictment for grand larceny). Cause continued on motion of defendants to 2nd day of next term and new venire facias awarded.

Commonwealth vs. Oliver Stran and John Barnes (on indictment for house-breaking with intent to commit larceny). Defendants tried, convicted of petit larceny, sentenced to term of 90 days each, in jail, to pay costs of prosecution and to work in chain gang.

Order entered that Howard Walker, convicted of petit larceny and confined in jail, be worked in chain gang.

Orders entered refusing bar room and other license to S. C. Mason, Masonville, I. T. Johnson and J. A. Scott, Jr., at Parkley.

Application entered by Enory D. Hinman for bar room retail license at Leemont and application withdrawn without action of the court.

Rules were awarded against John Dies, Thomas Dies and Edward Charneck for contempt in failing to appear as witnesses for the Commonwealth vs. Elisha Crockett.

Ex Parte: Jas. Kilmon of Jas. admr. Report of admr. filed and order confirming it entered.

Ex Parte: Petition of Florence M. Lewis' guardian. Report of guardian filed and order confirming.

Commonwealth vs. Laban C. Moore (on indictment for assault and battery). Defendant tried, convicted and fined \$15 and costs of prosecution.

Commonwealth vs. Laban C. Moore (on indictment for selling ardent spirits in violation of local option law). Defendant tried and jury failing to agree, case was continued until next term of court.

Rule awarded vs. John H. Marshall for failing to make up his accounts as guardian of Wm. J. and Millie T. Gunter, orphans of Jas. H. Gunter, dec.

Commonwealth vs. Charles Drummond (on indictment for selling liquor without license). Defendant tried and acquitted.

Commonwealth vs. Arthur Justice (on indictment for larceny of oysters). Defendant tried and acquitted.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. T. Bloom (for selling ardent spirits in violation of local option law). Defendant tried and jury failing to agree, case continued until next term of court.

Commonwealth vs. Wm. Kilmon of Wm., (on rules). Dismissed for reasons appearing to the court.

List of delinquent lands purchased by the Commonwealth for years 1876-1883, inclusive, examined by the court, purged and corrected and certain tracts and parcels stricken therefrom, because could not be located &c.

Ex Parte: John E. Ames' executors. Order entered removing from office R. T. Ames late sheriff and as such committee of Albert Lewis a person of unsound mind.

Petition of Jno. W. Bowdoin and others for a public bridge over Bethel branch. Order entered appointing Dr. Jno. W. Bowdoin, a commissioner to receive proposals.

License to keep a hotel was granted Benj. T. Parker, Onancock; A. S. Kellam, Wachapreague; G. Lloyd Doughty, Belle Haven; D. A. Martin, Pungoteague; Wesley A. Bloom, Locustville; Duffield Savage, Drummondtown.

License to sell liquor by retail was granted Benjamin T. Parker, Wm. L. Smith, Onancock, A. S. Kellam, Wachapreague, Wm. H. Lang, Geo. F. Parker, Wm. C. Hall, Drummondtown, Jas. H. Rayly, Cashville, Lloyd W. Mears, Mearstown, Chas. K. Taylor, Mill Bridge, D. A. Martin, Shield & Parker, Pungoteague, A. S. Bull, Fair Oaks, L. J. Ames, Coal Kiln, W. S. Waterman, Bloom station, Jas. R. Hickman, McTompkin, W. A. Bloom, R. A. Bloom, Locustville, Chas. F. Colonna, Gargathia, Wm. Walsh, Mappsville, John L. Gardner, near Sayageville.

License to keep a bar room to be sold by the drink, was granted to Wm. H. Lang, Geo. F. Parker, Wm. C. Hall, Drummondtown, Jas. H. Rayly, Cashville, Lloyd W. Mears, Mearstown, Chas. K. Taylor, Mill Bridge, Jas. R. Hickman, McTompkin, C. F. Colonna, Gargathia, Wm. Walsh, Mappsville, John L. Gardner, near Sayageville, A. S. Bull, Fair Oaks, Levin J. Ames, Coal Kiln, W. S. Waterman, Bloom station, Thos. H. G. Poulson, Baitown, Smith T. Martin, Head of Bradford's Neck, Wm. T. Core, Pine Grove, Wm. R. Daugherty, Daugherty, Harvey F. Marsom, Keller station, Wm. C. West, Wm. L. Smith, Onancock, E. A. Bloom, Locustville, Jas. Harrison, Belle Haven, Shield & Parker, Pungoteague.

A Sad Death.

Thomas C. Pitts, Jr., youngest son of Thomas C. Pitts, Esq., died last Sunday evening, after a brief illness from peritonitis, at his father's home near Onancock, aged twelve years. His death was a great shock to the family and the community. He was a manly, open-hearted little fellow, and his pleasant manners and obliging disposition made him a favorite with all who knew him. He was a dutiful son and a kind and thoughtful brother, and the great aim of his life seemed to be useful and to make others happy. The funeral services were held in the Onancock Baptist Church last Tuesday morning, where very impressive, and the immense audience present showed the high esteem in which the deceased boy was held by the community and the deep sympathy felt for the grief-stricken household. The teachers and students of the Onancock Academy in which the deceased had been a pupil for several years past, attended the funeral in a body, the girls of the academy bringing many beautiful floral designs, which were laid on the casket. Rev. Mr. Pruitt, the pastor, assisted by Rev. R. A. Compton of the Southern Methodist Church, conducted the services, which were short but very impressive.

Rev. Mr. Pruitt spoke feelingly of the many excellent traits of the dead boy, and as he recounted some of the graceful acts done by him, there were but few in the vast audience that could restrain their tears. The remains were interred in the family burying ground near Onley station. The following youths selected from the students in the Academy and the Baptist Sunday school acted as pall bearers: Oscar Powell, Sydney Kellam, Frederick Robertson, Howard Lilliston, Willie Hopkins, George Powell, Claude Kelly and Chauncey Leatherbury.

Narrow Escape From Death.

Mr. Wm. Mason, Capt. Charles Wright and a colored man had a narrow escape from a terrible death on last Monday morning. They were on their way in a cart to Toponet on the line of N. Y. P. & N. R. and had reached a point on county road running parallel with a road, when they discovered the South-bound freight train approaching several hundred yards distant. The crossing being only a few feet off the driver, Mr. Mason, thinking he could pass safely over before the arrival of train, put whip to his horse for that purpose and he was not mistaken in that calculation, but he had reckoned unwisely in another respect. His horse had barely passed over track, when becoming paralyzed with fright, stopped and commenced a backward movement and had been permitted to have had his way would probably have passed back safely, but being urged forward by the driver the rear of the cart remained on the track and was struck by the engine. Capt. Wright jumped from the cart when the horse balked and escaped unhurt. Mr. Mason and the colored man sustained severe injuries by the collision. A rib of Mr. Mason was broken and other wounds were received by him though not of a serious nature. The negro was badly scalped and wounded in face. The horse escaped with slight bruises. The cart was completely wrecked. Mr. Mason would probably have been killed if the force of his fall from the cart, at the time of collision, had not been broken by a pool of water into which he was thrown. He is a very old man, being over eighty years old and his escape from fatal injury is a marvelous one.

Presiding Elder's Appointments.

Eastern Shore District, third round: Belle Haven, Bethel, May 18, 19. Pungoteague, Evergreen, 24, 25. Atlantic, Skyes' Island, 30 and June 1. Accomac, Temperanceville, 1, 2. Bealville, Bayview, 7, 8.

Drummondtown, Amis' Chapel, July 19, 20.

District Conference will convene at Onancock, Tuesday, July 15, at 9 a. m. Opening sermon at 11 a. m., by Rev. J. M. Anderson, Subject—"The Peculiar Doctrines and Policy of the M. E. Church, South."

J. D. HANK, P. E.

Eastern Shore Historical Society.

The Eastern Shore Historical Society was organized at Eastville on Wednesday, 7th inst., by the election of Griffin C. Callahan (the inaugurator of the Association) as president, Rev. Geo. W. Easter, vice-president, Dr. Garland P. Moore, recording secretary, Dr. Geo. T. Seaburg, corresponding secretary, Seaburg Wm. T. Fitchett, librarian, W. B. Fitzhugh, treasurer.

The board of directors are: Hon. John S. Wise, Hon. T. H. Bayly, Browne, Rev. Geo. W. Easter, Griffin C. Callahan, John B. West, John W. Edmonds, W. B. Fitzhugh, James B. Dalby, Dr. Charles Smith, Thomas Upshur, Abel T. Ashby, Dr. Garland P. Moore and Dr. Geo. T. Seaburg. Our is yet to be supplied.

By-laws were adopted and provision made for the appointment of committees. The annual dues were fixed at one dollar.

The next meeting will be held at Eastville, on August court-day, 2nd Monday in that month.

Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, It has pleased God in His allwise providence to take from us Bro. James A. Harrison, and we, the I. O. of G. T. of Andrew Chapel Lodge, No. 729, holding him in high esteem, therefore, have

Resolved, 1st. That in the death of Bro. Harrison the Lodge has sustained the loss of one of its truest members and his memory will be cherished by us with great respect and tender affection.

Resolved, 2nd. That we tender to the family our heartfelt sympathy in their bereavement, and pray God's grace may sustain them in their affliction.

Resolved, 3rd. That the resolutions be spread on our records, published in the PENINSULA ENTERPRISE and a copy sent to the family.

Wm. T. Gonn

Treas. S. BATTY, Committee.

Geo. U. Boggs.

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father, in His infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst, sister Sarah I. Guy, an esteemed member of Pungoteague Lodge I. O. G. T., No. 630, therefore, we

Resolved, That while we mourn the departure of our deceased sister, yet we bow in humble submission to Him 'who doeth all things well.'

Resolved, That we tender our heartfelt sympathies to the bereaved family of our sister, and devoutly pray, that God will comfort and sustain them in this severe affliction.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our Lodge, that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased, and one to the PENINSULA ENTERPRISE for publication.

W. L. HARPER, Sec.

Millinery Notes.

Miss Mary E. Grant has just opened a full line of fashionable millinery at Leemont, which she will dispose of at moderate rates. Her lady friends are especially invited to give her a call.

Miss Nona Dix has opened on a fine line of spring and summer millinery goods at Parkley, and customers old and new are respectfully invited to call and inspect the same. Reasonable prices and pretty and stylish outfits are the inducements offered to purchasers.

Mrs. O. D. Doughty, Pungoteague, will return home Monday next, with a full and beautiful line of millinery goods, selected by Miss Birdie Rayfield, to accommodate her customers at reasonable prices. Satisfaction will be guaranteed to all who favor her with their orders.

Market Report.

G. S. Palmer, commission merchant, 163 Beade street, N. Y., under date May 14th, 1890, reports—market rules firm at all Virginia produce. Strawberries in active demand, and prime selling from 15 to 16 cents, fair 12 to 14; peas, baskets, \$2.25 to \$2.50; cabbage \$2.50 to \$3 per barrel; asparagus \$1.25 per dozen. The outlook is for a favorable market for the present crops. Would advise shipments of only prime produce and pack in best possible manner.

MARRIED.

TAYLOR-KNIGHT—May 11th, 1890, at Mappsville, Va., by Rev. F. A. Street, Wm. H. Taylor to Miss Genevieve F. Knight.

PARKS-CROCKETT—May 13th, 1890, at Tangier Island, by Rev. Jas. Connor, Chas. W. Parks to Miss Dora Crockett.

BARNES-JUSTICE—May 14th, 1890, near Parkley, by Rev. H. S. Dalaney, Charles Barnes to Miss Manie E. Justice.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

FOR SALE—The undersigned, big stem Jersey sweet potato sprouts, \$1.25 per thousand, \$1.10 for 5000 or more, f. o. b. cars at Exmore. All orders accompanied by the cash will receive prompt attention. W. L. Elzy, Exmore.

NOTICE—The undersigned offers for sale on reasonable terms, 1 acre of land, with storehouse and dwelling combined, necessary outbuildings, &c., at New Boston, 24 miles from Pungoteague. Apply to Asa Sample, Belle Haven, Va.

FOR RENT—The undersigned offers for rent for year 1891 the farm on which he at present resides, on reasonable terms. Said farm is in high state of cultivation and has abundant resources thereon. One or two horse farm will be rented to suit an acceptable applicant. A. P. White, Masonville, Va.

NOTICE—Strayed away from my home in Scarborough's Neck, about the first of the month, a sorrel Chincoteague mare pony. Information of its whereabouts will be suitably rewarded. Abel T. James, Davis' wharf, Va.

HORSES AND MULES—The undersigned has just returned from the city with a fine drove of horses and mules, which will be sold at very low prices. A pair of good mules for sale by my very cheap. Geo. W. Jacob, Belle Haven.

Winter Patent, sold by Jas. Myer & Co., is a cheap flour of rare merit.

NOTICE—All kinds of well pumps driven by the undersigned at fair prices in any part of the county—dean well pumps a specialty. All material furnished if desired. John C. Boice, Parks ley, Va.

Real merit bound to win and the Royal brand of flour still in the lead as the best flour ever sold on Eastern Shore. Sold by Jas. Myer & Co.

NOTICE—Sweet potato sprouts for sale at reasonable prices—also sweet potato horse line with vine turner. Work cannot be surpassed, great labor saving machine. One man can turn vines and mould, board up from 40,000 to 60,000 sprouts in one day. Special wholesale prices given to dealers in the "Planet Jr." goods for Accomac and Northampton counties. W. L. Elzy, Exmore.

FOR RENT—For year 1891 or a term of years, my farm "Gentury Grove," containing about 600 acres, situated about 2 miles from Birds Nest station in Northampton county. It is convenient to churches, schools, postoffice—has fine water advantages, and resources upon land are abundant. For further particulars address H. H. Wilkins, Bridge-town, Va.

TOMATO PLANTS—For sale at 25 cents per dozen. Send cash with order to Oris A. Browne, Cape Charles, Va.

Purity continues to be praised by all good housewives, who have tried it as the best ever used, price considered. Call on your merchants for it. Jas. Myer & Co.

Royal by name royal in quality—an excellent brand of flour sold by James Myer & Co., Baltimore.